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TAGS: PBOR, PINS, IS, JO

SUBJ: ARAB YOUTH PROTEST COURT RULING RE PRAYERS ON TEMPLE MOUNT

REF: JERUSALEM 138 AND JERUSALEM 168

1. ACCORDING TO JERUSALEM POST AND LOCAL ARABIC PRESS, 400-500 ARAB EAST JERUSALEM HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ON FEB 7 AND 8 DEMONSTRATED NEAR AL-AQSA MOSQUE AGAINST COURT RULING (REFTELS) THAT JEWS HAVE RIGHT TO PRAY ON TEMPLE MOUNT (HARAM ES-SHARIF). FEB 7 DEMONSTRATION ENDED PEACEFULLY, BUT PRESS REPORTS 12 ARRESTS FEB 8 AFTER DEMONSTRATORS THREW STONES AT SECURITY FORCES, INJURING ONE POLICEMAN. PROTESTORS SAID TO HAVE SHOUTED ANTI-ISRAEL SLOGANS AND WAVED FLAG OF PALESTINE LIBERATION ORGANIZATION. FOR PAST TWO DAYS, VISITORS HAVE BEEN DENIED ACCESS TO HARAM AREA.

2. ARABIC DAILY EL QUDS REPORTS FEB 8 PROTEST DEMONSTRATIONS HOWEVER, THAT NABLUS DEMONSTRATIONS WERE IN PROTEST OF KING HUSSEIN'S EFFORT TO MAINTAIN TIES WITH WEST BANK, AS EVIDENCED  
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BY HIS SUMMONING OF PARLIAMENT, INCLUDING WEST BANKERS, AND

POSTPONEMENT OF ELECTIONS FOR NEW PARLIAMENT THAT WOULD HAVE  
EXCLUDED WEST BANKERS.  
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